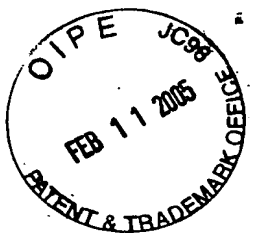


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Pursuant to the requirement set forth in Item 5 of the Notice Of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) attached to the Notice Of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed January 11, 2005, enclosed please find a Supplemental Declaration in which the names of each of the named inventors are typed.

It is respectfully submitted that this Supplemental Declaration satisfies the requirement by the Examiner in Item 5 of the aforementioned Notice Of Allowability.

Entry of the enclosed Supplemental Declaration and, subsequent thereto, issuance of a U.S. patent based upon the above-identified application in due course, are respectfully requested.

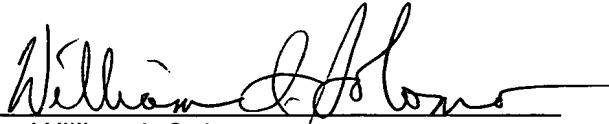
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